

June 22, 2000

TO: Advisory Committee Members

FROM: Aubrey Davis, Chair, Trans-Lake Washington Project Executive Committee

Dave Earling, Vice-Chair, Trans-Lake Washington Project Executive Committee

SUBJECT: June 28, 2000 Advisory Committee Agenda and Meeting Materials

Thank you for agreeing to be part of the Trans-Lake Washington Project's Advisory Committee! We are looking forward to working closely with you as we begin to identify and evaluate alternatives for improving mobility in the SR 520 corridor. Your input to the Executive Committee will be essential to the success of the project.

Our first meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 28 from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the Hyatt Regency Bellevue Hotel in Bellevue. We have included directions to the meeting location, including parking information (which will be validated by the hotel) and information on bus routes to the hotel. The information included in this packet includes:

- June 28, 2000 Advisory Committee agenda and meeting directions
- Advisory Committee roster
- June 14 Executive and Technical Steering Committees meeting summaries
- Memo from Sound Transit on Lake Washington Ferry Feasibility Study
- Advisory Committee charter
- Purpose and need statement

In addition, there are background materials you may find helpful to review prior to the meeting. The links to this information are included below. If you cannot access them via the project's web page, please contact Paul Hezel, Envirolssues, by phone 206-269-5041 or e-mail at phezel@enviroissues.com.

- Project approach: http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/translake/approach.htm
- Project schedule: ftp://www.wsdot.wa.gov/wsdot/translake/ftp2/00-05-31/Schedule.pdf
- Study Committee's recommendations and information on the previous study: http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/translake/archive/default.htm
- May 31 Executive and Technical Steering Committee joint meeting summary: ftp://www.wsdot.wa.gov/wsdot/translake/ftp2/00-05-31/Summary.pdf

If you have any questions about next week's meeting or the overall project, please call either Rob Fellows, WSDOT project manager, 206-464-6234; Barbara Gilliland, Sound Transit project manager, 206-389-5051, or Amy Grotefendt, EnviroIssues, 206-269-5041. We look forward to meeting you next week!



Advisory Committee Meeting June 28, 2000, 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. Hyatt Regency Bellevue 900 Bellevue Way NE, Bellevue Regency "A" Room

Meeting Objective: Introduce and discuss project objectives and schedule; discuss advisory committee organizational structure and meeting schedule; introduce the project's purpose and need statement; and discuss public involvement activities.

Time	Topic	Speaker	Supporting Materials	Action
4:00 p.m.	Welcome	Rob Fellows, Washington Department of Transportation; Barbara Gilliland, Sound Transit		
4:05 p.m.	Brief Public Comment Invited			
4:15 p.m.	Agenda Review; Introduction of Advisory Committee Members	Amy Grotefendt, Envirolssues		
4:45 p.m.	Overview of Project Background and Objectives – present history of project, including Study Committee's recommendations, what has happened since the Study Committee completed their recommendations, and define the objectives for this phase of the project	Jeff Peacock, Parametrix	Study Committee recommendations; Project approach	Presentation, questions and answers
5:10 p.m.	Status of Early Actions description of early actions recommended by Study Committee and current status, including Sound Transit's feasibility study of ferry service across Lake Washington	Daryl Wendle, Parametrix; Sound Transit representative	Summary and status of early actions	Presentation, questions and answers
5:30 p.m.	Organizational Structure – discussion of advisory committee charter and meeting schedule	Amy Grotefendt, Envirolssues	Draft charter	Discussion; agreement on charter
6:00 p.m.	Purpose and Need Statement – overview of how NEPA/SEPA apply to the Trans-Lake Washington Project; introduction of project's purpose and need statement recommended by the Executive Committee	Lorie Parker, CH2M Hill	Purpose and need statement	Presentation, questions and answers

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6:20 p.m.	Public Involvement Strategy and Activities During Scoping Period – overview of proposed public involvement activities for project; public involvement activities during scooping period	Amy Grotefendt, Envirolssues		Presentation, questions and answers
6:45 p.m.	Meeting Schedule, Action Items	Amy Grotefendt, Envirolssues	Meeting Schedule	
7:00 p.m.	Adjourn			



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DRIVING TO THE MEETING

- From SR-520 take the Bellevue Way NE exit
- Merge onto Bellevue Way NE
- The Hyatt Regency is on the 900 block, between NE 10th St and NE 8th. St
- Parking validated for three hours in Hotel parking lot, look for signs that say: "Bellevue Place Parking"

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From Kirkland P&R: 234 route

Redmond P&R and Civic Center: 253 route

Clyde Hill and Medina: 261 route

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